RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §	1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE	
EXAMINER GROUP 2625	

03500.015547

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: James A. Thompson
YUKITOSHI TAKEUCHI ET AL.)	•
	:	Group Art Unit: 2625
Application No.: 09/899,022)	-
•	:	Confirmation No.: 3535
Filed: July 6, 2001)	
• '	:	
For: IMAGE READING APPARATUS AND)	November 6, 2006
ORIGINAL COVER THEREOF		•

Mail Stop AF COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION AND REQUEST FOR INTERVIEW

Sir:

In response to the August 4, 2006 Office Action, please consider the following remarks.